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Sources Sought: MPU5 Radios Amendment 1

Department of Defense › Department of the Air Force › FA2517 21 CONS BLDG 350

Solicitation `FA251727SS0033`

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

C
63

Medium data confidence

Score at publication: 63 (C)

Frozen when the RFP closed; closed RFPs never show a live score

Fair (C, 63/100): posted today, 10 days to respond.

+9.0 Freshness | +5.1 Time & stage

Informational, not advice. How the score works: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

At a glance

VALUE	SET-ASIDE	NAICS	PSC
Not stated No value published	**None** Full and open competition	`334220` Radio and Television Broadcasting and Wireless Communications Equipment Manufacturing	`5820` Product / service code
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE **Colorado Springs, Colorado**	**POSTED** **Nov 3, 2026** Updated Nov 9, 2026	**RESPONSE DUE** **Nov 13, 2026, 9:00 AM MST** Closed	**LISTING** **Official federal notice** Updated Nov 9, 2026

Our summary

Department of the Air Force (FA2517 21 CONS BLDG 350), part of the Department of Defense, posted a sources sought notice titled “Sources Sought: MPU5 Radios Amendment 1” under solicitation number FA251727SS0033. It was first posted on Nov 3, 2026 and has been updated once since. The response deadline was Nov 13, 2026, 9:00 AM MST. It is classified under NAICS 334220 (Radio and Television Broadcasting and Wireless Communications Equipment Manufacturing) and product/service code 5820. No set-aside is listed. The place of performance is Colorado Springs, Colorado. The listed point of contact is A1C William Bailey.

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline

Blue line: today (Nov 21)



02 Score breakdown

Every RFP starts at 50. Each factor adds or subtracts points depending on how this RFP compares with a typical one, scaled by its weight and by how sure we are of the data. Unknown data has no effect.

Factor		◀ lowers the score · raises the score ▶	Points	Range
Value	UNKNOWN		0.0	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 0%
No value published, and there isn't enough award history to estimate one. Scored as neutral.				
Competition & access	ESTIMATED		−0.6	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 60%
Full and open competition.				
Issuer & market	ESTIMATED		+0.2	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 25%
8 other RFPs from Department of the Air Force on RFP Detector in the past 12 months; no award history found.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		+5.1	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Sources sought (market research, not a bid): 10 days to respond (due Nov 13, 2026, 9:00 AM MST).				
Clarity & completeness	ESTIMATED		−0.2	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 75%
Documents not listed, 2 named contacts with email and phone, 94-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		+9.0	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted today.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **63.5**

Score at publication **63** **(C)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days

Closed RFPs keep their score at publication, so there is no live trend.

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How the score works

Value	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Competition & access	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Issuer & market	weight 20 · −23.4 to +12.6
Time & stage	weight 15 · −14.9 to +12.2
Clarity & completeness	weight 15 · −18.9 to +8.1
Freshness	weight 10 · −9.0 to +9.0

Measured data counts fully, estimated data counts less, unknown data counts zero. Grades: A 80–100 · B 65–79 · C 50–64 · D 35–49 · F 0–34. Data confidence (53/100) is how much of the score rests on measured data.

Full methodology: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

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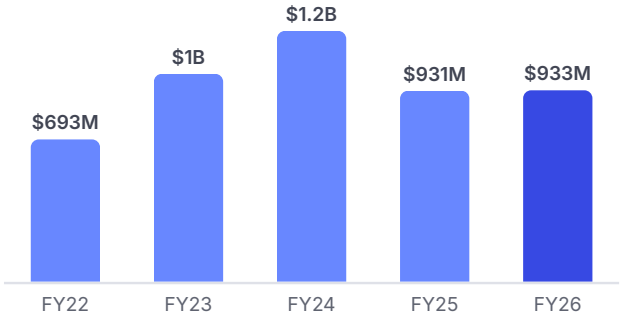
03 Market intelligence

Federal contract awards for Department of the Air Force, NAICS 334220. Award counts and sizes cover new awards in FY24–FY26; dollars are obligations in the same window.

CONTRACTS AWARDED	TOTAL OBLIGATED	MEDIAN AWARD OVER $25K
992	**$3.1B**	**$132K**
New awards, FY24–FY26	Obligated FY24–FY26	791 awards above $25K

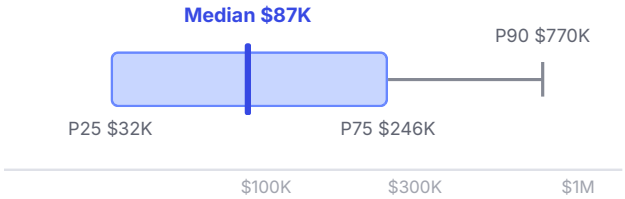
Obligations by fiscal year

Department of the Air Force, NAICS 334220



Award size

Air Force NAICS 334220 contracts, FY24–FY26 (log scale)



For reference, the typical federal contract award above $25K across all agencies is about $69K.

Largest recipients in this market

Share of obligated dollars, FY24–FY26

1	The Boeing Company	$1.9B	60%
2	Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation	$209M	7%
3	L3 Technologies, Inc.	$112M	4%
4	Continental Electronics Corp	$109M	4%
5	Raytheon Company	$76.1M	2%

These are the largest recipients across this agency and NAICS code, not the incumbent of this RFP. Concentration feeds the Competition & access factor.

How this market feeds the score

Value	Competition & access	Issuer & market
0.0	−0.6	+0.2
Value not published	Full and open	Active issuer (8 RFPs)

Federal award history: contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 15, 2026.

04 Requirements & logistics

Facts from the notice. Confirm every requirement and date on the official notice before responding.

Eligibility

SET-ASIDE

Full and open competition: any responsible business may respond.

NAICS

334220 Radio and Television Broadcasting and Wireless Communications Equipment Manufacturing

PRODUCT / SERVICE CODE

5820

Place & submission

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Colorado Springs, Colorado

HOW TO SUBMIT

As instructed in the official solicitation

OFFICIAL SOLICITATION

Open the official solicitation at rfpdetector.com (free account)

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Documents

No documents are listed on the notice.

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This RFP is closed

Responses are no longer accepted, so the response checklist is omitted. The facts above stay available for reference and for similar bids; see similar open RFPs and more from this issuer on page 5.

05 Related RFPs

Open RFPs with the same NAICS industry group or category (same state first, then by score), and more from this issuer. Each title links to its page on RFP Detector.

Similar open RFPs

- C | 64 **Sustaining PNT & Integrating with Development to Enhance Readiness (SPIDER)**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Jan 4
- C | 53 **Protected Anti-Jam Tactical SATCOM (PATS) Operations Center (PATSOC) Mission Operations S...**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Dec 21
- B | 77 **Receiver-Transmitte**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 21
- B | 77 **Receiver-Transmitte**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 21
- B | 74 **Tactical Communication Systems - Procurement, Services & Sustainment (TCS-PSS) Call for S...**
  Department of the Army · Due Dec 14

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  Department of the Air Force · Due Nov 18
- C | 56 **West Gate Camera Maintenance**
  Department of the Air Force · Closed
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  Department of the Air Force · Closed
- D | 46 **Coax Cabling**
  Department of the Air Force · Closed

Data and as-of times

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